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In re Appln. of: Hideki Nagakubo et al.

Appln. No.: 10/716,374

Examiner: Anabel Ton

Filed: November 18, 2003

Art Unit: 2875

For: Illumination Device and Liquid Crystal  
Display Device

Attorney Docket No: 9281/4720

Mail Stop Amendment  
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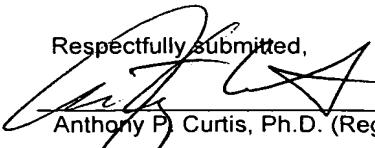
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## AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.